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There are three steps the U.S. government can take now:

- Accept the recommendation of the **U.S. Commission for International Religious Freedom (USCIRF)** that Iraq be designated a “country of particular concern” because of its systematic, ongoing and egregious violations of the religious freedom of Iraq’s religious and ethnic minorities.